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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD FOR INDIVISIBLY MODIFYING A PLURALITY OF SITES IN A MICROCIRCUIT CARD NON VOLATILE

MEMORY, IN PARTICULAR A CONTACTLESS CARD

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